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For

CERAMIC HEATER AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME AND

ELECTRICALLY CONDUCTIVE PASTE FOR HEATING BODY

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

A Request for Extension of Time.

X No Additional Fee.

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Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+140=	\$	+280=	\$0.00
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X Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

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